

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) An image interception method for documents, comprising the steps of:

providing a document;

obtaining an image contained in the document;

recognizing the image; and

intercepting the image if the image is recognized as an objectionable image.

2. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1 further opening the document.

3. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1 further showing the image if the image is not recognized as an objectionable image.

4. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1 wherein the image can be obtained by reading the image directly if the image is attached to the document.

5. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1 wherein the image can be obtained by reading the image through a link if the image is linked to within the document.

6. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1 wherein the image is recognized by a recognition module.

7. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 6 further setting the sensitivity of the recognition module.

8. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1 wherein the document is a webpage.

9. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1 wherein the document is an email message.

10. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1 wherein the document is a document generated within an office productivity application.

11. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1 wherein the document is a PDF document.

12. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1 wherein the objectionable image contains sexual themes.